10/10/68

Dear Paul,

Your letter of 10/5. arrived just today. Because of other things that happened to my mail, I made formal, verbal and written complaint again today.

Enclosed is letter to Hal, copy.

I am interested in Chandler. He is doing an anti-Garrison book, he is close to Shaw, personally, and he knows things he hasn't said. Please send copy CD194, p. 13 I do not have. I always suspected he was "Crawford", and Billings agreed. He is no longer with life, going to edit St. Petersburg paper 1/1/69.

Check on Barry. He did 205 and I presume gave Gary copy notes. Also 75 that I know of. He hasn't too much background but is willing.

The stuff you describe as in CD 1546 certainly wasn't in it when I examined in middle 1966. I doubt if it is same as 1553, but perhaps. There should be much on Odio that I have learned privately that I have not found in FBI reports. Remind me to tell you all. Castorr. Connell.

Lets talk about Lifton. I'm not unwilling, but from what I've seen and what I've had, I wonder if at best he is all there? His Thornley stuff is irrational, as is what he did with Zap, unless it is more sinister.

I just don't have time to go to DC to check that stuff out any more and actually cannot afford, including, as it does, all-day parking. Re. Lib Cong.

I've gotta stop now to pick up Lil. I still have a mark in Ex 1346. I used it, I think, in WWII. Suddenly it occurs to me I never asked the Archives for those memos. At least, I do not now recall asking. How stupid! But, perhaps it is because I was then so terrified of spending money I didn't have! I do not know where they are. If you get the numbers, I can check what I have on her. I have a faint recollection, but it might be of the transmittal letter

Best,